

WESTERLY AND ITS NEIGHBORS

Public Course of Entertainments at Wheeler School Enjoyed by Many—Invitations Out for Pollock-Bagley Wedding—Irving Maxson Not Forced Into Bankruptcy—Effort to Find Body of Michael Donohue.

The Wheeler school and library of North Stonington, located not far from the border of Westerly, is one of the most liberally endowed institutions of its high class to be located in such a sparsely settled section. The endowment provided for in the will of Henry Dwight Wheeler insures an income more than ample for the current expenses, and affords opportunity for courses of educational entertainments that are appreciated by the students of the school, the residents of the town, and many from Westerly and other places. Since trolley facilities have been made possible by the enterprising promoters of the Norwich and Westerly road, the attendance from Westerly to these entertainments has materially increased. They are absolutely free to the public.

One of the pleasing entertainments in the present course was the recital of "The Taming of the Shrew," by Leiland Powers, Tuesday evening, and was in keeping with those that preceded.

This school was established in 1890 by Edgar Wheeler as preparatory for high school education. Ten years later Henry Dwight Wheeler contracted with James Courtney of Westerly to construct the present handsome granite structure, and lived to see its completion.

Pupils are admitted to the preparatory class after seven years in a graded school, and are prepared to pass specified examinations in English, grammar, spelling, history, arithmetic, geography, and while the school is prepared to fit boys and girls for any college, its courses are also arranged to meet the needs of that larger number whose schooling will cease at graduation or before. No tuition is charged pupils resident in North Stonington, and outside pupils are at present admitted the same as residents of the town, provided they make North Stonington their temporary residence.

Rev. Dr. William M. Groton, dean of the Divinity school of Philadelphia, former pastor of Christ Episcopal church, Westerly, who has a summer residence here, conducted the opening services at the funeral of Rev. Dr. W. Whitaker, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Pennsylvania, in Philadelphia, Monday.

William Henry Greene died at his home in Providence Monday, in his 71st year. He was born in Westerly, a son of Edward L. and the late Esther T. Greene, and his first employment was in the Collins shoe store in Westerly. He went from here to Providence about 22 years ago, and for the past 20 years has been employed by the F. E. Ballou company in that city. Mr. Greene is survived by his widow, Jane Wood Greene, daughter of John Wood, and the late Elizabeth Hyde Wood, of Pawtucket. Burial will be in Pawtucket Tuesday.

Alfred H. Pollock, a prominent resident of North Stonington, assistant superintendent of the Braintree & Armistead silk mills, who served several terms as selectman and a member of the court of common council, is to be married Feb. 28. The bride to be is Miss Laura May Bagley of Westerly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bagley. The marriage will be in Christ Episcopal church, at a ceremony to be officiated by Rev. Dr. W. Whitaker, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Pennsylvania, as a special privilege to the bride. The purpose of the marriage is for the purpose of improving the business relations of the two countries.

Many invitations to the wedding have been issued.

Dr. Michael H. Scanlon of Westerly, district deputy of the Knights of Columbus, assisted in the completion of the third degree of the order by

Finnegan council of Providence, Monday evening. At the close of the ceremony there was a social session, Dr. Scanlon being one of the principal speakers. The same degree will be worked on a large class of candidates by Narragansett council of Westerly next Sunday afternoon.

Charles E. Sheehan of Providence, district deputy to the grand exalted ruler, will make an official visitation to the school, the residents of the town, (Wednesday) evening and will be given the customary reception. At this session there will be nominations of officers for the ensuing year and "his will be completed for the fair. On next Friday afternoon, from two until four o'clock, Grand Exalted Ruler August G. Herrmann of Cincinnati, will hold reception in the Elks' home in New London. Delegations will be present from Westerly lodge and from other lodges in Rhode Island and Connecticut.

The change in the school system of the town of Stonington, which carried with it only one high school in the town, thus placing the former high school in Westerly in the graded class, with no intent to build a new school in the borough, has made increased facilities in that school building necessary. When the building was originally constructed the third floor was left unfinished. The contract for making two class rooms on that floor with the usual hallways and conveniences has been awarded to Babcock & Wilcox of Westerly, and the work will be carried to completion as soon as possible.

The effort made to force J. Irving Maxson into bankruptcy has not proved successful, nearly all the creditors being satisfied with settlement on a friendly basis and on fair terms, under the circumstances. This signifies that nearly all the creditors have faith in receiving fair treatment. The recent transfer of the wood manufacturing plant to Isaac Sherman, Louis A. Joslin and Frederick Lenz, none of whom are direct or indirect creditors, is said to have been strictly legal and with no intent to hinder settlement with creditors, but rather to assist in that line.

A new concern which will succeed to the plant of the Maxson company will be known as The Isaac Sherman Company. The new men have already commenced business in a small way preparatory to getting the mill plant in full operation.

Local Leagues. Herbert B. Wilcox has purchased from the heirs of Otis C. Brown the Old Whipping Post farm, east of the Post road.

Charles E. Stewart of Westerly served on the committee on by-laws at the meeting of the Connecticut Laundrymen's association in New Haven on Monday.

Hereafter the town clerk's office will be lighted by electricity. There had been plenty of gas at some of the hearings held in the office but not much light.

The family of Michael Donohue have offered a reward of \$50 for the recovery of his body. It is believed Mr. Donohue was drowned in the Pawtucket river on Monday of last week.

The Westerly jurors drawn for duty at the February session of the superior court will be drawn at Kingston Monday.

Albert E. Barber, J. Andrew Chase, Ira B. Crandall, George W. Norman, William H. Willis, grand jury; Frederick Nye, John H. Sear, Samuel W. Slocum, Allen C. Whitford, Frederick N. Burdick, Michael J. Burke, James H. Simonds, petit jury.

MYSTIC

Visiting Nurse Assured by March 1—Fellowship Meeting February 25—Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Dennison Married Forty-nine Years.

The board of management of the Visiting Nurse association of Mystic met on Monday evening, Mrs. A. L. Conner, on Monday evening. The report of the committee which had been securing funds, stated that they had nearly enough funds to warrant the work being carried on and that by March 1st it was thought that all arrangements would be completed. A special meeting will be held in about ten days when the final work will be settled. Many applications have been received for the position of nurse. Those who have contributed will give annually toward the support.

Club Entertained. The Monday club was entertained by Miss Sarah Dennison at her home on Monday afternoon and the following program was carried out. Shakespearian City, Mrs. A. L. Pitcher; Current Events, Miss Sarah Dennison.

Engagement Announced. Cards were received in town Tuesday announcing the engagement of Miss Mary Linsman of Phillipsburg, Pa., to Clarence Howard Robinson of the same place, but formerly of Westerly and Mystic. The wedding will take place in the early summer.

Fellowship Meeting. The next fellowship meeting of the Congregational churches in this section will take place in the Congregational church in Mystic, Saturday, February 25, morning and afternoon. The discussion will be "The Combination of Home, School and Church in the Moral Education of the Child," and will be opened by W. H. Perry, superintendent of the Stonington schools. This meeting will be held on Saturday so that the teachers in the town will be able to attend.

Turkey for Klan Klub. The members of the Mystic Klan Klub met in the W. C. T. U. rooms on Bank street on Tuesday afternoon and evening, when about 30 of the members were present. At 5:30 all sat down to a turkey supper that was prepared by Chef Ira C. Hoxie. After supper speeches were made and a good time was ended by all joining in singing "Auld Lang Syne."

Married Forty-nine Years. On Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Dennison celebrated the 49th anniversary of their marriage and received many relatives and friends at their home on Pearl street. Both Mr. and Mrs. Dennison are in good health. They have two sons, Dr. Ira Dennison of Washington, D. C., and Charles Dennison of this place, and one granddaughter, Miss Myra Dennison.

General News. Mr. and Mrs. John L. Allen and son, Clark, leave today for a trip south through Florida and Louisiana. They will be gone about six weeks. Louis P. Allen left Tuesday for a visit in New York. William Douglas spent Tuesday in Providence. Miss Imogene Watrous is spending two weeks with relatives in Groton. Clyde Burrows is visiting in New York.

who has been ill with grip, is able to be out. Mrs. Arthur P. Anderson entertained the John Rogers club at her home on Elm street Tuesday afternoon. Henry A. Hyde of Westerly was a caller here Tuesday. Miss Lottie Morgan of Pearl street visited friends in New London Tuesday. Miss Viola McDonald was a caller in New London recently. Miss Ella Sutherland is confined to her home by illness. Miss Gertrude Smith of Elm street is much improved after a few days' illness. There was no work in the shipyard Tuesday, owing to the snowstorm. Mrs. George McDonald of Prospect Hill, who has been ill for several days, has entirely recovered.

STONINGTON

Thieving Boys on Probation—Lincoln Exercises—Observance of Valentine Day—Ladies' Auxiliary's Turkey Supper.

The boys caught looting Gardner's grocery store were brought before the town court Monday at 3:30 p. m. and were placed in charge of the probation officer for six months. It was found that young Edgar was not among the ones accused.

Patriotic Exercises. Exercises in commemoration of Lincoln day were observed in the Stonington high school Monday, the following programme being excellently given: Selection, High school; address, Carl Stillman; Hall, Columbia school; essay, Ellen Bruggeman; piano solo, Arthur T. Cogran; recitation, Viola Eldredge; song, school; selection, orchestra.

Had Valentine Boxes. Tuesday, in the social department of the borough school, the children exchanged valentines and the custom of having a box was followed.

Meeting of Ladies' Auxiliary. A turkey supper was given Sunday by the ladies' auxiliary to the A. O. H. interesting addresses were made by Otto Sullivan and H. G. Garvey. The county secretary of the A. O. H. also addressed the company. Solos were delightfully rendered by Miss Fallon and Mrs. Danahy and by Messrs. Gilmore, Long and Touhey. A recitation by James Sullivan was listened to with pleasure. Mrs. F. H. Coffey and Mrs. P. H. Cullen acted as committee on entertainment. Members of Division No. 1 were invited guests. The meeting closed with singing of "Land of the Living" by President Barrett of the A. O. H.

Travel Club held its regular meeting at the Free library at four p. m. The following subjects were taken up in a scholarly manner: John Milton and John Dryden, by Rev. Dwight C. Stone; John Bunyan, Samuel Pepys and John Evelyn by Miss Elizabeth Loper.

Valentine Social. Members of the First Baptist Sunday school held a delightful Valentine social in the church parlors Tuesday evening. A Valentine box was distributed and refreshments were served by the young ladies. In spite of the storm a large number attended.

To Address C. E. Union. Rev. G. B. Spaulding Jr., will make an address on Endeavor and Progress at the semi-annual meeting of the New London county Y. M. C. E. union at New London, Wednesday, February 22. Mr. Spaulding is ex-president of the Saratoga, N. Y. Y. M. C. E. union.

Manuel Henry and Manual Paul have chartered the launch Arra Wana of James Sullivan and Capt. A. L. Jenkins and Nicholas Clay will now use the Cornelia J. for their fishing trips.

C. J. Case of Boston was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Three-Table Whist—George Brown Reappointed Patriotic Instructor—Death of J. A. Harris.

A pleasant social evening was spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Bailey on South Main street, the party numbering eighteen, and the evening was spent in games, singing, etc. There were three tables of whist played. The first prize was won by Prof. Ray March of the Boys' club. During the evening refreshments were served.

Commander Brown Reappointed. Commander George Brown of Morton A. Taintor post, G. A. R., has received the appointment of patriotic instructor for the district.

Charles H. Dawley and Daniel Webster were in North Stonington Monday on account of the death of J. A. Harris, who died at the home of Mrs. Ackley in that place. Mr. Harris was about 80 years of age and had been in feeble health for several months and death resulted from a shock about two weeks ago.

Borough Interests. Miss Minnie Cavanaugh has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Michael E. Sullivan, in Williamsville. Sheriff Wickwire was in town Monday.

The board of relief was in session Monday in the selectmen's rooms. Miss Mary Day has returned from a few days' visit with friends in Portland. Miss Florence Dawley of New York is visiting at her home on South Main street. Joseph Lazinski, captain and manager of the Boys' club baseball team, is

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waiting to hear from some of the managers of out of town teams to make arrangements for games to make out the schedule as several dates are open.

O. H. A. Milhan and wife of Brookline, N. Y., were at their summer residence on Elmwood Heights for a few days the past week.

Edward T. Bunyan and daughter, Miss Margaret, were guests of friends in Norwich Saturday.

The Chautauque society met Monday afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Stebbins.

Mr. Crumm of New London was calling on friends in town Monday. Fitch Jones and a friend from Hobbart were visitors in town Monday.

Albert Fargo of Salem was a caller here Monday.

Mrs. Henry McDonald of Marlboro was the guest of friends in town on Monday.

Trumbull.—The grange has just celebrated its eighteenth birthday.

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Women's Corset Covers, large assortment of patterns, lace and insertion, also lace and embroidery trimmed, extra quality of muslin, French style—SALE PRICE 25c

Women's Short Skirts, tucked ruffle trimmed, extra quality of muslin, assorted sizes—SALE PRICE.....25c

Lot 3--at 39c

Women's Muslin Drawers—deep embroidered flounce, also tucked and embroidery trimmed flounce, extra quality of muslin—SALE PRICE.....39c

Women's Corset Covers, large assortment of patterns, lace and embroidery trimmed, French style, full line of sizes, extra quality of material—SALE PRICE.....39c

Women's Short Skirts, embroidered and tucked ruffle trimmed, extra quality of material—SALE PRICE.....39c

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Women's Corset Covers, large assortment of patterns, lace and insertion; also embroidered and insertion trimmed front and back, French style, extra quality of muslin—SALE PRICE.....50c

Women's Muslin Drawers, with deep embroidery trimmed flounces—also tucked and embroidery trimmed flounces—also extra size embroidery trimmed drawers—large assortment of patterns—SALE PRICE.....50c

Women's Long Skirts, deep embroidery and tucked ruffle trimmed flounces—extra quality of material—SALE PRICE.....50c

Women's Night Robes—high and low neck, tucked and embroidery trimmed, assorted patterns—extra quality of material—SALE PRICE.....50c

Women's Combination Corset Covers and Drawers, embroidery and lace trimmed, extra quality of material, full line of sizes—SALE PRICE.....50c

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